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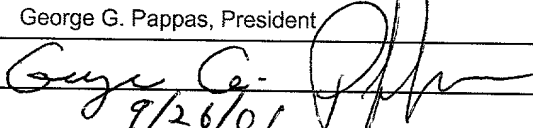
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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. 1001 and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

NAME OF SOLE OR FIRST INVENTOR: ☐ A petition has been filed for this unsigned inventor

Given Name (first and middle [if any]) George G. Family Name or Surname Pappas

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Residence: City Norwich State Ohio Country USA Citizenship US

Mailing Address 1745 Norwich Valley Road

City Norwich State Ohio ZIP 43767 Country USA

NAME OF SECOND INVENTOR: ☐ A petition has been filed for this unsigned inventor

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**DECLARATION FOR UTILITY OR
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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

FLAME-RESISTANT SHEET WITH CANDLE WICK SUPPORT

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which

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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

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(for an international application filed under the Patent Cooperation Treaty)

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The undersigned applicant(s) (Names should be indicated as they appear in the request)

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United States of America

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Title of the invention: FLAME-RESISTANT SHEET WITH CANDLE WICK SUPPORT

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LUMI-LITE CANDLE COMPANY, INC.

By: 

George G. Pappas, President

Date: 9/26/01

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Hereby sell, assign and transfer to Lumi-Lite Candle Company, Inc., a corporation of the State of Ohio, having a place of business at 102 Sundale Road, P.O. Box 2, Norwich, Ohio 43767, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest for the United States and all foreign countries, in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed in the application for United States Letters Patent, which is executed concurrently herewith and is entitled FLAME-RESISTANT SHEET WITH CANDLE WICK SUPPORT (LUM 180), and in and to said application including all rights of priority arising therefrom and in and to all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue, and all other applications for Letters Patent which have been or shall be filed in the United States and all foreign countries and all international applications on any of said improvements; and in and to all original and reissued patents which have been or shall be issued in the United States and all foreign countries on said improvements;

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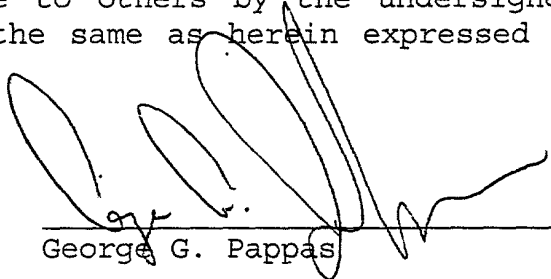
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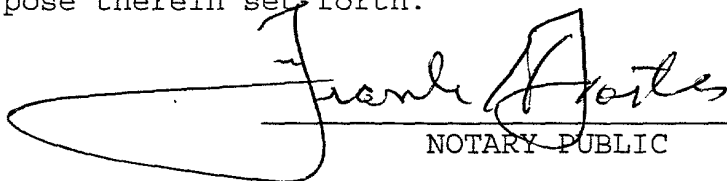
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Before me this 26th day of September, 2001, personally appeared George G. Pappas, known to be the person who is described in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purpose therein set forth.


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